







"Show business is just like high school, except you get paid." -Martin Mull, American Actor - 1943

[quoted] 2011

Dearest Students,

This year has brought huge change, to our school family and to many of us individually. I have spent a lot of time over the past few months thinking about change. Most of us like new things, but change? No, change pushes us into the unknown, puts us at risk, forces us to question if we are in the right, and shoves us away from that with which we are familiar. Doesn't that sound awful?

I find myself in a dilemma though, because I thrive on change. How is it that I can love something that is so tough? What is it about change that appeals to me? We do not get to control everything that happens in life, a difficult lesson for some of us to learn. However, we DO choose how we are going to respond. Every single time we open our mouths, every time we make a move, every reaction we have to what goes on around us – we are making a choice. We make hundreds of choices every day.

Call it hope, potential, or possibility, but the reason I love change is because it brings with it a promise of opportunity, of something better. Change lures me with thoughts of improvement and teases my imagination with new dreams. The absolute existence of change leaves us with only one question, are we going to be prepared for it – ready for the unknown?

As we end the 2011 school year, my prayer for each of you is that you learn to embrace change; that you choose to focus on the positive and let God worry about the rest. In Psalm 56:4 we read, "In God, whose word I praise – in God I trust and am not afraid. What can mere mortals do to me?" I challenge you to be prepared for making the best decisions with each new thing life throws at you; place your hand in His, trust Him to open your eyes to the potential for greatness, and look to Him for direction with each choice you make.



Dear fellow students,

I have actually been in DLA since my freshman year, even though I was a part-timer the first year only taking one class – Mr. Davidson's Humanities class. DLA was this whole new world (yes pun intended for all you Aladdin fans out there) for the Hooverites and myself. I can't believe this year is already gone. Where did the time go? I don't know, but I do know that thanks to my fellow DLA staffers and Ms. Schwagmeier, this year's yearbook will be, if I do say so myself, AWESOME!

I want to say a very special thanks to Ms. Schwagmeier for putting up with all of us and for being the ringleader of this crazy circus filled with many technological issues through the time. She made this year-book able to happen, thank you! I also want to thank all my co-staffers for helping me out. Yeah, you all are great! You guys made this year fly by and all your help made everything so much simpler, and of course, so much more fun!

I want to also congratulate all the graduates. You all are now back at the bottom of the food chain, have fun at college/university haha! I will keep you all in my prayers and I wish you the best of luck! I know you all can do it, just get out there and get started! I have never met such a group of people that I felt was really like my family, until Hoover and you all! I know I am going miss you all so much next year!

With much love and thanks for these past years and all the ones to come,













Thank You!

To all of the individuals who contriuted to this year's edition of [quoted] we wish to extend our most sincere thanks! From those who contributed their photography to those who helped gather information, advertisements, and other materials, we could not have created this yearbook without your assistance. We want to give special thanks to those who submitted photography, including the following lovely staff members and students:





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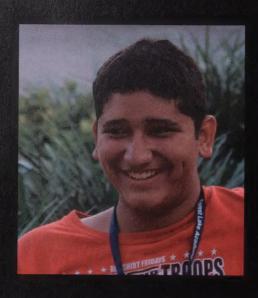
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There are many others who kindly allowed us to use their photography, and their work is much appreciated.

Act I: We are FLDLA

scene i >> Sites
scene ii >> NHS
scene iii >> Spirit Week
scene iv >> Senior Outbreak
scene v >> Friendship









"Don't ever let somebody tell you you can't do something."

-The Pursuit of Happyness, 2006

Bako Site

Gainesville, Florida - 4 years

Tamara Bako, facilitator

Amber Bako, 12th









"When you're young everything feels like the end of the world. But it's not; it's just the beginning."
- 17 Again, 2009

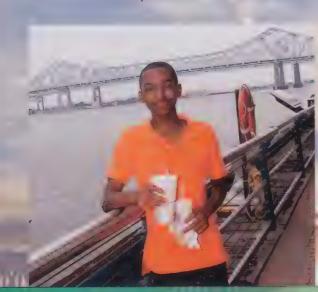
Collins Site

Baton Rouge, Louisiana - 4 years

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Doris Collins, facilitator

Davion Collins, 9th









"My shepherd will supply my need; Jehovah is His name. In pastures fresh He makes me feed, beside the living stream."

Love's Enduring Promise, 2004

Fuller Site

Barton, Vermont - 1 year







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"Inconceivable!"
- The Princess Bride, 1987

Harris Site

West Hartford, Connecticut - 1 year







Sandy Harris, facilitator

Laura Harris, 11th

"Blame radio."
- Radio, 2004

Humphrey Site

Indianapolis, Indiana - 4 years

Theresa Humphrey, facilitator

Luke Humphrey, 12th





"Luke, the Force will be with you."

- Star Wars: Episode IV -A New Hope, 1977

Norris Site

Cocoa, Florida - 1 year

Stephanie Reid, facilitator
Halley Norris, 10th







"There's no place like home."

- The Wizard of Oz, 1939

Phillips Site

Gary, Indiana - 4 years



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Margaret March-Phillips, facilitator

Davida Phillips, 12th

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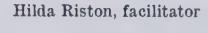


"You know what music is? God's little reminder that there's something else besides us in this universe, a harmonic connection between all living beings, everywhere.""

- August Rush, 2007

Riston Site

Snohomish, Washington - 2 years



Caleb Riston, 10th



"Okay. The answer to the ultimate question of life, the universe, and everything is... 42."

The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy, 2005

Rodriguez Site

1 year

Marta Rodriguez, facilitator Migdalia Rodriguez, 9th







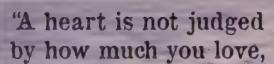
"You are a great champion.
When you ran, the ground shook, the sky opened and mere mortals parted.
Parted the way to victory, where you'll meet me in the winner's circle, where I'll put a blanket of flowers on your back."

- Dreamer, 2005

Thornton Site

St. Petersburg, Florida - 3 years

Deborah Williams, facilitator
Tiffani Thornton, 11th



but by how much you are loved by others."

- The Wizard of Oz, 1939









Weidemann Site

Clayton, New Mexico - 1 year

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Marion Weidemann, facilitator Angela Weidemann, 10thh





"I love to laugh!"

- Mary Poppins, 1964

Wright Site

Gilsum, New Hampshire - 3 years



Deborah Wright, facilitator

Rebecca (Becky) Wright, 12th

"It's not easy being green."

- Sesame Street, 1969



Weidemann - Wright - 8

East Pasco Adventist Academy

Dade City, Florida - 3 years

Stephen Herr, facilitator

Isaac Andrews, 10th Meghan Baranda, 10th Rachel Clark, 10th Jazmine Theodore, 10th









"Just smile and wave, boys. Smile and wave."

- Madagascar, 2005

Fayetteville Adventist School

Fayetteville, North Carolina - 12 years



Cliff Johnson, facilitator

Joseph Chavez, 9th

Timothy DuChaine, 10th Stephanie Meinhardt, 10th Sara Reid, 10th

"Fasten
your
seatbelts,
it's
gonna be
a bumpy
ride."

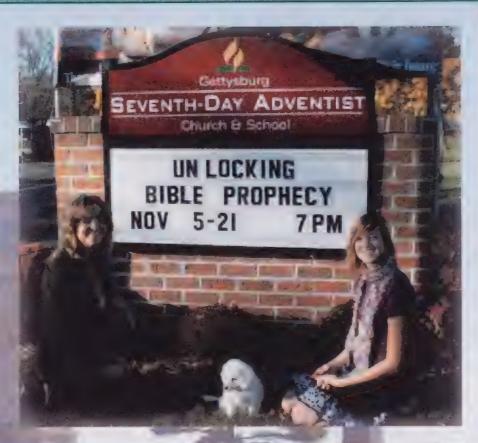
Gettysburg Adventist School *************************

Candy Reichert, facilitator

Kaethe Reichert, 10th

"I love those moments. I like to wave at them as they pass by."

- Pirates of the Caribbean: Dead Man's Chest, 2006









"They can't order me to stop dreaming."

- Cinderella, 1950

Green Bay Adventist Junior Academy

Green Bay, Wisconsin - 3 years



Judy Hendricksen, facilitator

Tamy Maldonado, 11th Nathaniel Roy, 11th Alex Zimmer, 12th

"Adventure is out there!"
- Up, 2009





Hoover Adventist School

Hoover, Alabama - 4 years

Misty McFall, facilitator
David Haley, facilitator/teacher

Addison Clark, 9th

Jenine Henley, 10th D'Amond Henderson, 10th Leticia Amado, 10th

Brianna Baker, 11th Carrie Joiner, 11th Daniel McFall, 11th Leticia Amado, 11th

Nikisha Ryan, 12th









"Young Simba:
Isn't it great?
Young Nala:
We could get in big
trouble.
Young Simba:
I know."

-The Lion King, 1994

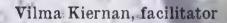
Living Springs SDA Academy

High Springs, Florida 2 years









Elizabeth Bonet, 9th Cassandra Campbell, 9th Corey Carter, 9th

Clifford Dorsey, 10th Alexis (Landy) Hidalgo, 10th Philicia (Leece) Kephart, 10th







"You know what music is? God's little reminder that there's something else besides us in the universe, a harmonic connection between all living things, everywhere, even the stars."

-August Rush, 2007

Murphy Adventist School

Murphy, North Carolina - 10 years

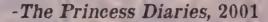
Mig Kelley, facilitator

Brittany Goolsby, 9th

Danielle Butala, 11th Jonathan Stephens, 11th



"The brave may not live forever, but the cautious do not live at all."









North Shore Adventist Academy

Chicago, Illinois - 4 years

Douglas Stehman, facilitator

Abigail Bahena, 11th Oviri Duado, 11th

Paola Plasencia, 11th Kirsty Rosendo, 11th

Anna Pahana 19th

Anna Bahena, 12th Gold Mar (Mamar) Borres, 12th



"Life will knock us down, but we can choose whether or not to get back up."

-The Karate Kid, 2010

Okeechobee Adventist Christian School

Okeechobee, Florida - 7 years

Chris Sufficool, facilitator John Sufficool, facilitator

Bradley Sufficool, 10th







"It would be beneath my dignity to climb a tree,

I'll never grow up, never grow up, never grow up Not me!"

-Peter Pan, 1953



Port Charlotte Adventist School

Port Charlotte, Florida + 1 year

"The only way to achieve the impossible is to believe it's possible."

-Alice in Wonderland, 2010





Judy Krueger, facilitator Chelsea Dancek, 9th

Nikkita Bloomfield, 11th Emily Weisberg, 11th







Tri-City Academy

High Point, North Carolina - 6 years

Terry Sampson, facilitator

Abby Andrews, 9th
Austin Brackett, 9th
Phillip Brown, 9th
David Feist, 9th
Hannah Jobe, 9th
Landon Lowe, 9th
David (Isaiah) Sait-Hilaire, 9th
Edward (Andrew) Sampson, 9th

Carlos Maldonado, 10th Brandi (Gabby) Reynolds, 10th Delando Skinner-Mccollum, 10th

"See, he lives in you."

-The Lion King, 1994













Walker Memorial Academy

Avon Park, Florida - 9 years



William Johnston SDA School

Hickory, North Carolina 1 year

Phyllis Knight, facilitator

Kaitlyn Icard, 9th David Rendon, 9th



W.H. JOHNSTON
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SCHOOL

"Why are you trying so hard to fit in when you were born to stand out?"

-What a Girl Wants, 2003





Not Pictured

We would like to acknowledge the sites who did not submit information, as they are a cherished part of our school family.

Calvin Center School - Cassopolis, Michigan Norman Usher, facilitator Cornelius (Cornell) Glass, 9th Kayla Bynum, 11th

Mobile Junior Academy - Mobile, Alabama Douglas Carr, facilitator Stephanie Carr, 11th

Gomez Home School Site - Chesterfield, New Hampshire
Betsaida Gomez, facilitator

John Gomez, 12th



"You'll bring honor to us all."

Amber Bako

I wrote and had others in my community write letters to soldiers fighting overseas. Then I mailed the letters to be put into care packages. The reason I chose this project is because I wanted to give something back. Soldiers risk their lives for us and being able to do something for them made me happy because maybe those letters were just what they needed to bring a smile to their face.



Carrie Joiner



I came up with the idea of doing a shoe drive and collecting shoes to donate to the local Tornado victims here in Alabama. This, in my opinion, was a very successful project even though I didn't get the results I originally hoped for. To be able to make an impact and realize just how lucky I am really was the best part of this project. I had to send out many flyers, emails, and Facebook invites to get the turn out that I did. But, it was definitely worth all the effort! This project shoes you just how we take the little things such as shoes, etc. for granted so easily and don't even think that hey, we just may not have shoes! That is why I am so happy I chose this project.

Nikisha Ryan

For my NHS project I decided to start a toy drive for the Children's Hospital in Birmingham Alabama. To make my project more challenging I decided to advertise to donate toys for older children. I made flyers and hung them around my school and sent home letters to parents about this project. It did take some time but that outcome of my project was pretty moderate. In the end I am altogether pleased that I could help benefit the Children's Hospital in any way.

The National Honor Society is a prestigious organization. Students may not apply, but are invited to be members. For membership consideration and invitation, the student must have a minimum GPA of 3.5, be a student in good standing, and demonstrate leadership through individual activities and communit service. Distance Learning Program members of Forest Lake Academy's National Honor Society chapter must work hard as they participate in two project

- Mulan, 1998



Davida Phillips

My NHS project this year was leading 1st-8th grade kids in making care packages for local nursing homes and a women's shelter. The care packages included items like toiletries (toothpaste, soap, lotion, etc.) With the school board, I planned the event of going to the school to make the care packages with the kids. Then I visited three different nursing homes and the local women's shelter. When I dropped off the baskets, the people were so thanksful and happy. This experience made me see how important it is to put others first. Seeing how happy this project made people made me happy too!

Tiffani Thornton

On March 7, 2011, I started a Teddy Bear Drive for the Ronald McDonald House Central in St. Petersburg, Florida. Over eight weeks, I worked towards my goal of 100 bears. In order to collect them, I had four drop off locations including three schools and one store. Individual, family, and business donations were accepted as well. I provided the drop off locations and individual participants with flyers, and arranged the dates and times for me to pick up the bears. Throughout this project, I was surprised and inspired by the participation level of everyone involved. As soon as I realized just how many bears I was trying to get, I thought it would be impossible. But everyone was ready and willing to give. It was only through those who donated bears that I was not only able to reach my goal, but surpass it! On May 4, 2011, I took 104 teddy bears to the Ronald McDonald House Central. The Teddy Bear Drive was an experience I will never forget; I found it to be a real life example of how God allows everything to work out when you're trying to do good for others.

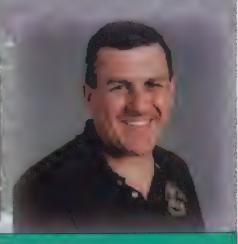


We also wish to acknowledge Daniel McFall for his participation as a member of the FLDLA NHS chapter for the 2010-2011 school year.

One project is an invidual service project they must organize and lead. The other is a collaborative group service project that all the members work together to execute.

We are proud of this year's six members.

-John Davidson, NHS Faculty Sponsor



"You've gotta admire their

Spirit Week 2011

Wacky Tacky



Crazy Hair



Topsy Turvy



Spirit." -Twister, 1996

Favorite Movie Character



School Colors



Favorite Sports Team



Senior Outbreak

"SWWWWWWISH!!!" -Karl Asumen

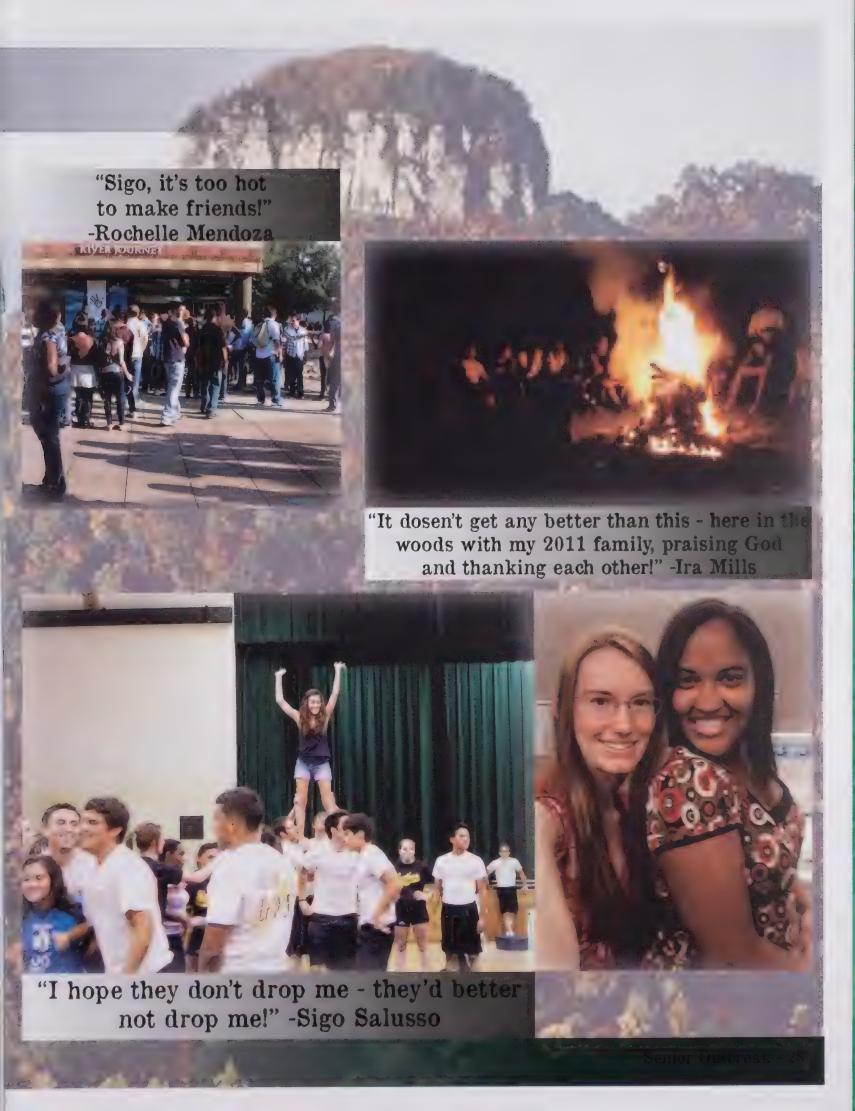


"Woohoo, one more time!"
-Davida Phillips





"We have friends in the sea - yippee!"
-Amber Bako



"These are my new



"Aren't Migdalia and Nathaniel pretty?!!"

-Kristin Paradero





"I am blessed to have such gorgeous friends!! Forreal!!"
- Rochelle Mendoza



"CHEESE!!"
- Sara Reid



friends!"

-Monsters vs. Aliens,



"Having a good time and loving hanging out with my friends."
-Brandon Harrell





Act II: Orlando

>> Service Projects scene i >> Wet N' Wild scene ii >> Pancakes, etc. scene iii >> Mini Golf Magic scene iv >> Kennedy Space Center scene v scene vi >> Worship scence vii >> Sabbath Swimming >> Options Day scene viii >> Banquet scene ix







"Life's not a spectator sport. If watchin' is all you're gonna do, then you're gonna watch your life go by without ya."

-The Hunchback of Notre Dame, 1996







"We need some organization & plan

Articles by Davion Collins

Orlando Junior Academy

Everyone knows that teaching is a job that requires A LOT of energy and dedication, and DLA students had a chance

to experience this firsthand. Students helped the kindergartners with homework, read books to them, and of course, played with them! Student Kaitlyn Icard described her experience: "We read books with a little Russian girl named Vlada, and we colored pictures with a group of little girls who

decided that I and Migdalia were twin sisters. We received lots of hugs and drawings that the little girls made us. It was a great experience and it showed

me how much work teachers put into their class' education every day."



Apopka Community Center (not pictured)

With this service project, students had the chance to help out at a thrift store designed to help the community. Students

pitched in for a couple of hours and gave the store a little "facelift". The students repainted the walls, sorted objects, re-arranged displays, and moved large objects for customers. Says student volunteer Caleb Riston: "It was hard work and I nearly busted a few things. I picked up a huge bookcase filled with items but one of the side walls came loose, releasing the shelves and slamming everything into the ground. But it was a fun day and it felt great to serve others!"

ned activities..." -Daddy Day Care, 2004

Forest Lake Education Center

Moving "outside" the classroom, this service project gave students the opportunity to get their hands dirty. From picking up trash to blowing leaves to mowing the

grass, this service project was all about making the school property look nice and neat. Daniel McFall commented: "My part of the job was blowing leaves. I went around the roads and helped out while the rest of my friends picked up trash. Seeing a clean school for these kids and a happy staff and faculty, it made me realize what a good thing we were doing, and it made me feel good! It's good to show a Christian example by work," Davion Collins describes his experience as a T.A. at FLEC: "My eperience was very enjoyable! I've always enjoyed working with little kids. Joined by fellow student Yusimy Cruz, I spent the day helping the kids with their workand of course, playing with them! (I don't know how, but I somehow became the "monster" that everyone was supposed to

beat up!) I was glad to be a part of this service project.



"100.3, 208.5 100.5, 346.9, 756.2... None of these are in the right place! I'll just stick them all on this shelf and save a lot of time!

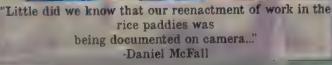
-Kaitlyn Icard



Students benefit a lot from engaging in acts of community service. Not only do they have the opportunity to serve others, but they have the chance to serve God at the same time. Just seeing the faces of the people you help out is the reward in itself. I'm sure that all the DLA student volunteers gained a lot from participating in these service projects. I know I did!!! So what can be the take home message? Service can

be very rewarding and when you get a group together, a lot can be accomplished.







"Everything's better down where

(Right)

"Oh, why did I go the fourth time so Mr. Davidson could take this picture??"

-Carrie Joiner



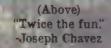




(Above)
"Partying it up with my girls!"
-Kirsty
Rosendo







it's wetter" - The Little Mermaid, 1989



"Is it too early for flapjacks?"



(1) "Sup..."
-Jonathan Stephens

(2) "I just swallowed a love bug!

Hey, let's do it again!! Yeah??"

-Abigail Bahena

- (3) "Aah! I hope Patrick doesn't spin me around and make me drive the wrong way again!!"

 -Kristin Paradero
 - (4) "I'm glad I just got the one hiding my nose!"
 -Brianna Baker
 - (5) "I'm having FUN!! YAY!!!"
 -Aaron Bautista
 - (6) "Is it ready yet??"
 -Neilpatrick Atiga
 - (7) "Never let it be said that the junior class is all work and no play."

 -Mr. Bedell
- (8) "Oh now how am I going to flip this pancake?"
 -Danielle Butala



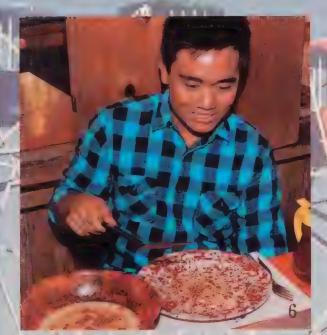




-Groundhog Day, 1993





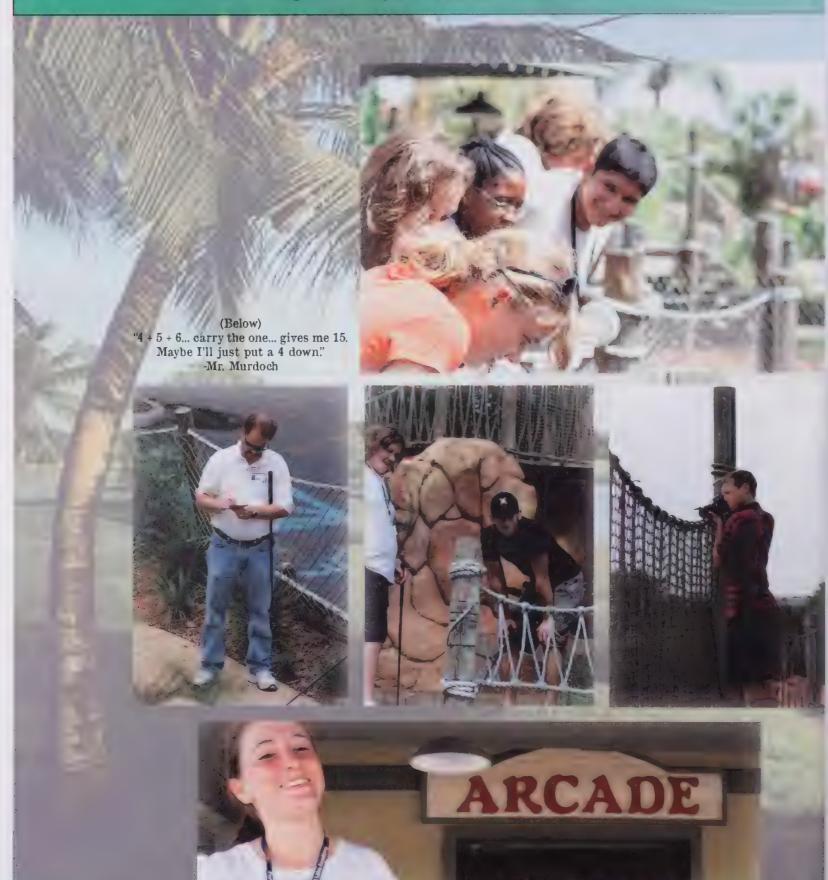








"I think I'm going to stick with what



I do best..." -Paul Blart: Mall Cop, 2009











(Above)
"Put your game face on!"
-Joseph Chavez

(Left)
"Mini-golf is SO my sport!!"
-Sara Reid

To infinity... and beyond!"



(above left)
"Ooh, Roman numerals! Wait... the V
means 5, right?"
-Carrie Joiner

"I don't know why I'm putting up a thumb - everyone else is, so I'll just go with it!" -Kaitlyn Icard

"Standing next to an astronaut = SO AWESOME." -Sara Reid
"I wonder if he gets paid by the hour or by the picture." -Timothy DuChaine



(above left)
"Normally my mind's out
in space somewhere, but
this is ridiculous." -Jonathan Stephens





-Toy Story, 1995



(above)
"I wonder where Orion is..."
-Joseph Chavez





(above right)
"Smile for the camera, guys
- smile for the cameral" Davion Collins

(above center)
"Just sharing the feeling of being tall with others at NASA..." -Brandon Harrell

For all have sinned and fallen short

(Right)
"Ms. Bowman, you give such great hugs!"
-Nikki

(Below)
"My friends are too cool!"
-Amber Bako







(Right)
"I thank God for a sister like Alyssa!"
-Kristin Paradero





of the glory." -Billy: The Early Years, 2008











(Left)
"What a great way
to end worship"
-Aaron Bautista

"Come on into the water..." -Jaws, 1975

(Below) "I can fly like Superman!"
-GoldMar (Mamar) Borres



(Above) "I hope I don't land on my head!" -Aaron Bautista





(Left) "First one to fall in the water loses!" -Johnel Lagabon



(Below) 'Oh man, this is going to be cold!" -Brandon Harrell





"Choices: life is nothing more than an ext

A - "1, 2, 3, CHEESE!! - It's a Bahena sandwich."

- Abigail Bahena

B - "OHH YEAH! I PUT TIGER WOODS TO SHAME!"

-Davion Collins

C - "We're so intense! Don't mess with us!!"

- Haley Norris









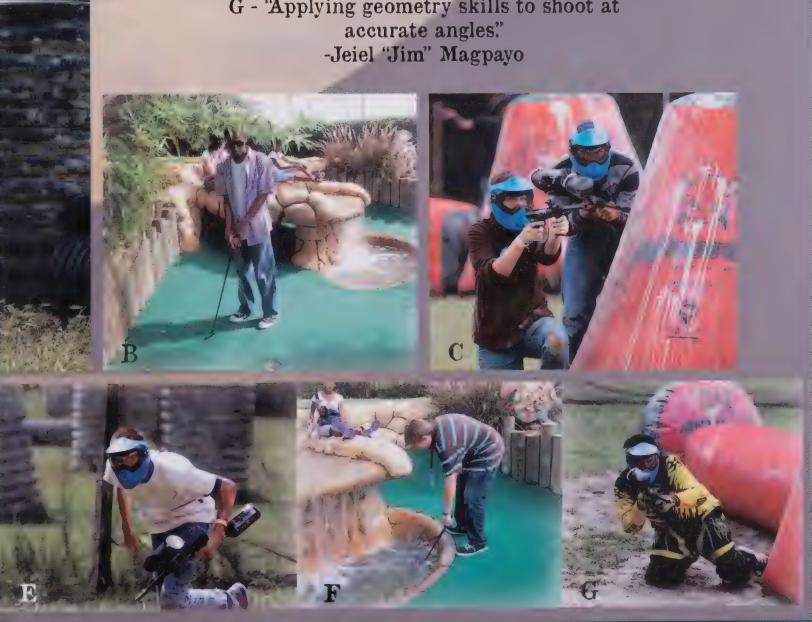
ended string of them." -Karma Police, 2004

D - "Hey! I see you hiding in the bushes taking stalker pictures!" -Nikisha Ryan

> E - "Getting the win for my team!!!" - Brandon Harrell

F - "Hey Sara, do you think Addison can get the ball out of the water without touching it??" - Stephanie Meinhardt

G - "Applying geometry skills to shoot at accurate angles." -Jeiel "Jim" Magpayo



"Let the games begin!"







(Above)
"Best paintball team ever looking good!"
-Haley Norris



(Above)

"Such a delight to connect faces to email addresses!"

-Nicole Yarbrough







(Above)

"Like I was saying... SMILE!"
-Paola Plasencia



-Alice in Wonderland, 1951



"Would you believe me if I told you I was posing for a new facial cleanser from Dove?" -Daniel McFall









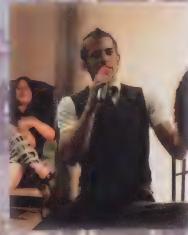
(Left)
"I feel a bit bloated..."
-Kaitlyn Icard



(Above)
"Please don't be anything slimy anything but slimy!!"
-Jenine Henley







Act III: Washington,

scene i scene iii scene iv scene v scene vi >> Strike a Pose

>> National Aquarium

>> Biology & US History Outing

>> Smithsonian Adventures

>> International Spy Museum

>> Washington Nationals Game







D.C.

"To live would be an awfully big adventure."

-Hook, 1991







"You've thrown off my groove!"



"This type of modelling only comes naturally."
-Briana Baker



"I love Washington, D.C. - this much!!"
-Mr. Bedell



"I don't want this trip to end!" -Angela Weidemann



"I believe I can fly!!"
-Amber Bako

-The Emperor's New Groove, 2000

"Ahh!! I feel squished!!"
-Brittany Goolsby



"Please take
the picture
already; I don't
know which
camera
to look at."
- Haley Norris





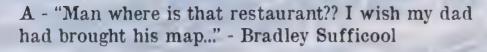
"Yahoo! I'm at the Washington Monument!!"
-Caleb Riston



"Oh yeah. A fish can breathe out







B - "I'm going to get you." - Amber Bako

C - "OoOoOo *blub blub* I see you!" - Nikisha Ryan





Property and the second

here." -Finding Nemo, 2003

D - "Must we take more pictures?!" - Brittany Goolsby

E = "It's a bird!" - Sara Reid

F="Whew!
Let's stop to
take pictures...
and rest on
the rails!"
- Davida Phillips





"Perhaps we'll bump into each other in 'Or in the past.."



A- "Which of us is having the most fun?" -Anonymous

B - "CRAMP!" -Joseph Chavez

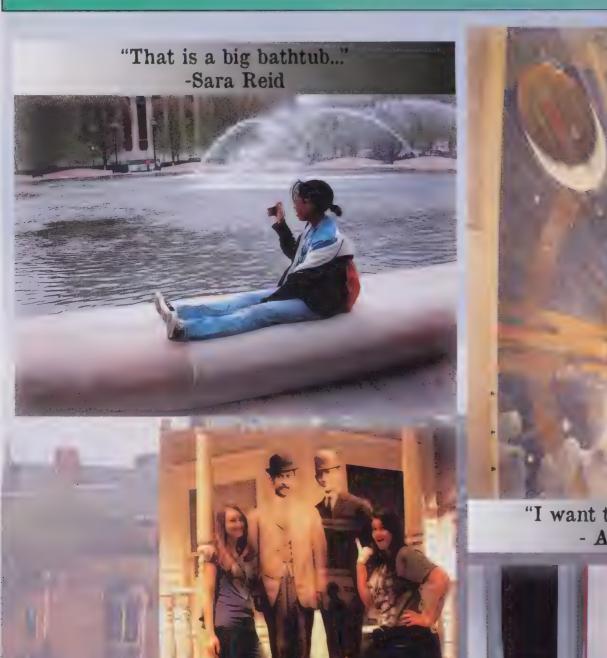
of me out here than have me hold snakes in there." Alice Fuller







"This is the Smithsonian! This is





"I want to go to Heaven!"
- Amber Bako



the big leagues!" - Night at the Museum 2: Battle of the Smithsonian, 2009

"Oh yeah! I'm so bright I could stop traffic in this jacket!" -Haley Norris







"Star light, star bright... oh hey, those aren't real -Anonymous

"Loving hanging out with my friend at the Air and Space Museum." -Alice Fuller

"How do I know you're not a spy?"

A - "Everyone get together! Time for ANOTHER picture!" - Kaitlyn Icard

B - "I'm going to wave at random people. HEY!
That guy just waved back!" - Kayla Bynum
C - "Friendship is all about closeness!"

- Anonymous D - "Peace." - Joseph Chavez









- Harriet the Spy, 1006



E - "I wonder if the awesome-looking bus is coming back..."

Bradley Sufficool

F - "What, Kaethe? Your Italian ice tastes like sour cream?"
- Mr. Bedell



I just love baseball. It doesn't have to beautiful to watch." - Zelig, 1983



mean anything - it's just



ot IV: Students &

scene i scene ii scene iv scene v >> Freshmen - Class of 2014

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Like so many things, it is not what is on the outside, but what is inside that counts.

- Aladdin, 1992







Class of 2014

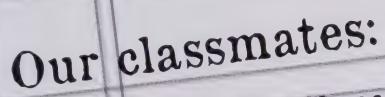




Can you guess which freshmen these cuties grew up to be?







Best smile: Angela Weidemann



Most outdoorsy: Migdalia Rodriguez

Most likely to become a rock star:

David Rendon



Best spiritual leader: Davion Collins

Our favorites:

Fast food restaurant: Taco Bell Actor/Actress: Johnny Depp





Abby Andrews Elizabeth Bonet





Austin Brackett Corey Carter





Joseph Chavez Addison Clark





Davion Collins
David Feist





Cornell Glass Brittany Goolsby









Kaitlyn Icard Hannah Jobe





Landon Lowe David Rendon





Migdalia Rodriguez Isaiah Saint-Hilaire





Andrew Sampson Angela Weidemann

Not Pictured:

Chelsea Dancek Matthew Payne

Class of 2013



Our classmates:

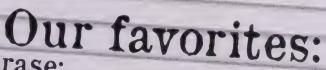
Most contagious laugh: Sara Reid

Most text messages sent per day:

Stephanie Meinhardt

Most dramatic speaking voice: Timothy DuChaine

Best fashion sense: Kaethe Reichert



Phrase:

"42 is the answer!"

Film character:
Winnie the Pooh





Leticia Amado Meghan Baranda





Rachel Clark Clifford Dorsey





Timothy DuChaine D'Amond Henderson





Jenine Henley
Alexis (Landy)
Hidalgo





Philicia (Leece) Kephart Stephanie Meinhardt









Haley Norris Kaethe Reichert





Sara Reid Brandi (Gabby) Reynolds





Caleb Riston Bradley Sufficool

Not Pictured:

Isaac Andrews
Carlos Maldonado
Jacob (Jake) McNair
Curtis (CJ) Richey
Jazmine Theodore

Class of 2012







Who are these adorable juniors?





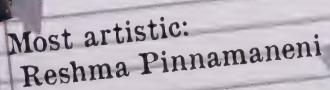


Top from left to right: Oviri Duado, Carrie Joiner, Alice Fuller Bottom from left to right: Kirsty Rosendo, Paola Plasencia, Tiffani Thornton

Our classmates:

Best hair: Kristen Paradero

> Most outgoing: Daniel McFall



Most hours logged on Facebook: Kirsty Rosendo



Our favorites:

Places from movies we'd most

like to visit:

Willy Wonka's Chocolate Factory

Middle Earth,

The Land of Oz

Reading, drawing, & martial arts

lass of 2012

Neil Patrick Atiga Abigail Bahena





Brianna Baker Aaron Bautista





Nicole Bernard Danielle Butala





Stephanie Carr Oviri Duado





Alice Fuller Nathaniel Gonzalez









Brandon Harrell Laura Harris





Carrie Joiner Johnel Lagabon





Nicki Lawsen Daniel McFall





Kristen Paradero Reshma Pinnamaneni





Paola Plasencia Kirsty Rosendo





Jonathan Stephens Tiffani Thornton

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Nathaniel Roy Emily Weisberg "All your dreams can come true if you have the courage to pursue them."
-Walt Disney





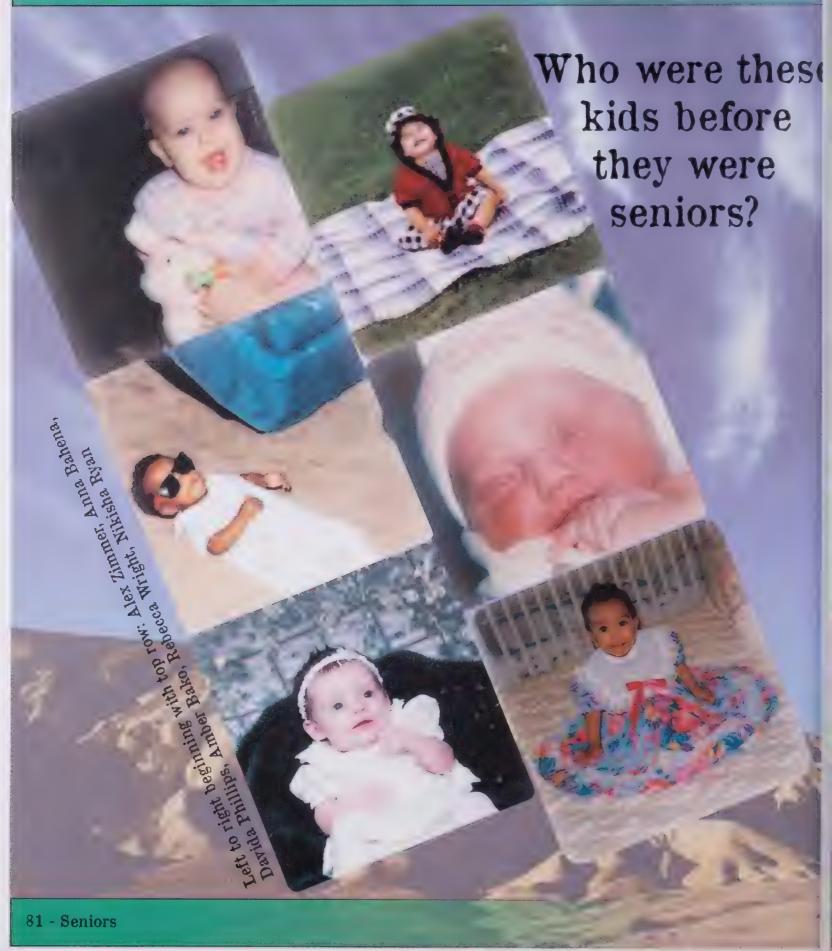
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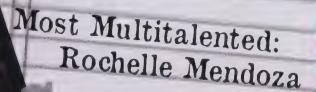
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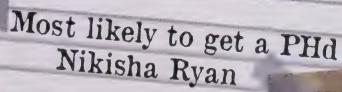


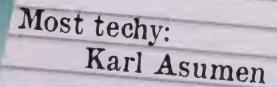


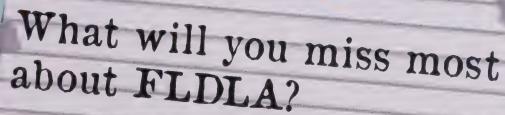
Sportiest:

Jim Magpayo









Mission trips

A movie that tells your life story:

A Christmas Story



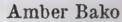
Karl Asumen



Anna Bahena

Profession: Musician/Physical Therapist Quote: "For I know what I have planned for you says the Lord. I have plans to prosper you, not to harm you. I have plans to give you a future filled with hope."

-Jeremiah 29:11



Profession: Speech Pathologist
Quote: "Do not follow where the
path may lead. Go, instead, where
there is no path, and leave a trail."
-Ralph Waldo Emerson





Ronika Baldwin

lass of 2011



Gold Mar (Mamar) Borres

Kayla Bynum

Profession: Pediatrician
Quote: "I care not what others think of w
hat I do, but I care very much about what
I think of what I do! That is character!"

-Theodore Roosevelt





Rexley Demiar

Profession: Nurse Anesthetist Quote: "If you only do what you know you can do, you never do very much."



Profession: Astronomer
Quote: "Live to be the original, not the copy."



Luke Humphrey

Profession: Italian restaurant owner Quote: "Don't complain, just work harder." -Randy Pausch





Jeiel (Jim) Magpayo
Profession: Sanitational Engineer
Quote: "You talkin' to me?"

Rochelle Mendoza



Alyssa Paradero



Davida Phillips

Nikisha Ryan

Profession: Veterenarian Quote: "Although the world is full of suffering, it is also full of overcoming it."

-Helen Keller





Sigourney (Sigo) Salusso

Profession: Pastry Chef or Event Planner Quote: "Today you are you, that is truer than true, there is no one alive who is youer than you!" -Dr. Seuss



Profession: Personal Trainer Quote: "Hakuna Matata"



Class of 2011

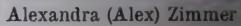
Rebecca (Becky) Wright

Profession: Marine Science

Quote: "The brave may not live forever,

but the cautious do not live at all."



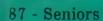


Profession: Social Worker

Quote: "There are two paths you can go by but in the long run, there's still time to

change the road you're on."

-Robert Plant, Led Zeppelin



"You have brains in your head.
You have feet in your shoes. You
can steer yourself in any direction you choose. You're on
your own. And you don't know
what you know. You are the guy
who'll decide where to go."

-Dr. Seuss

If we were interested in making money,













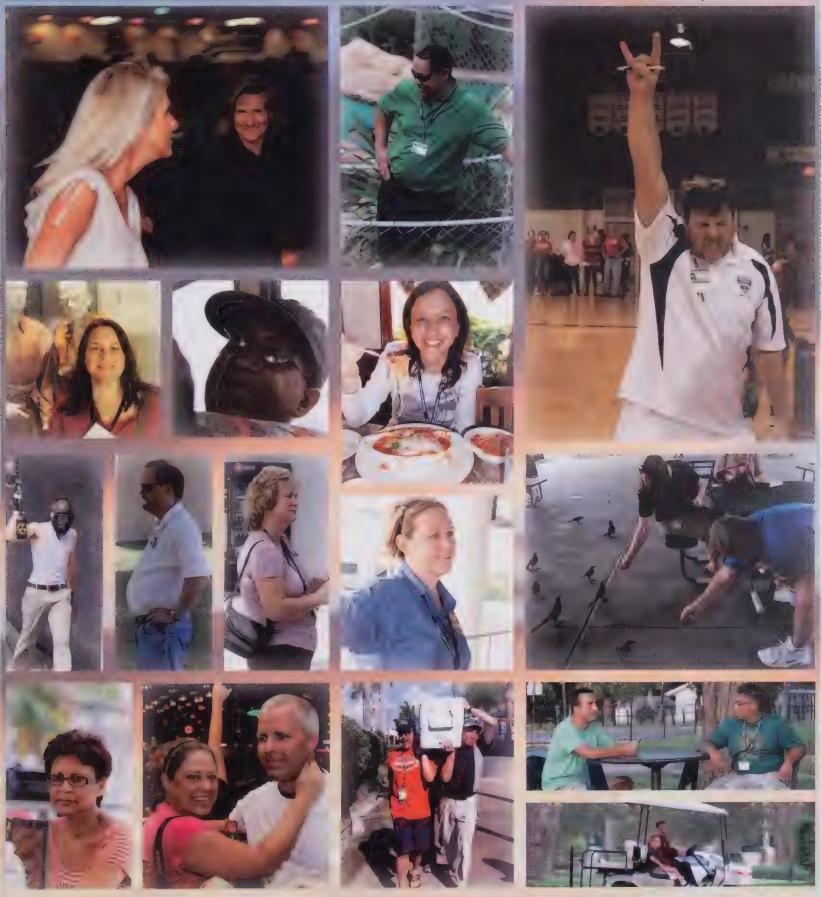






we wouldn't have become teachers."

-Flubber, 1997



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"So long, farewell, aufiderzein, goodbye..."

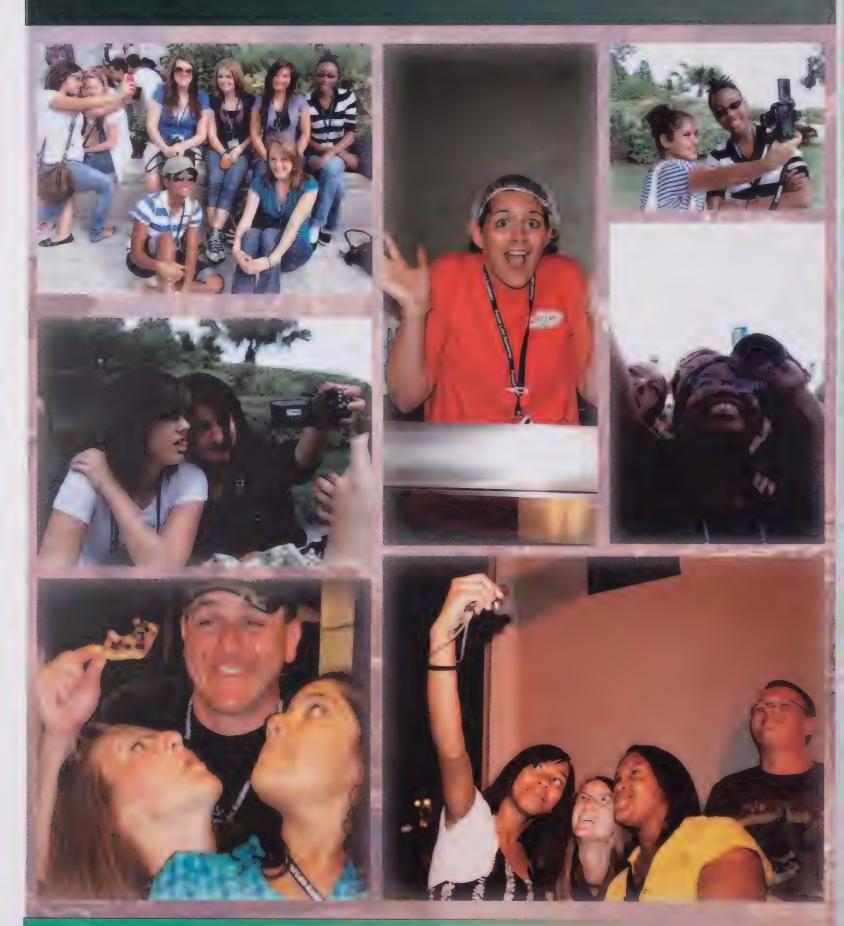
- The Sound of Music, 1965



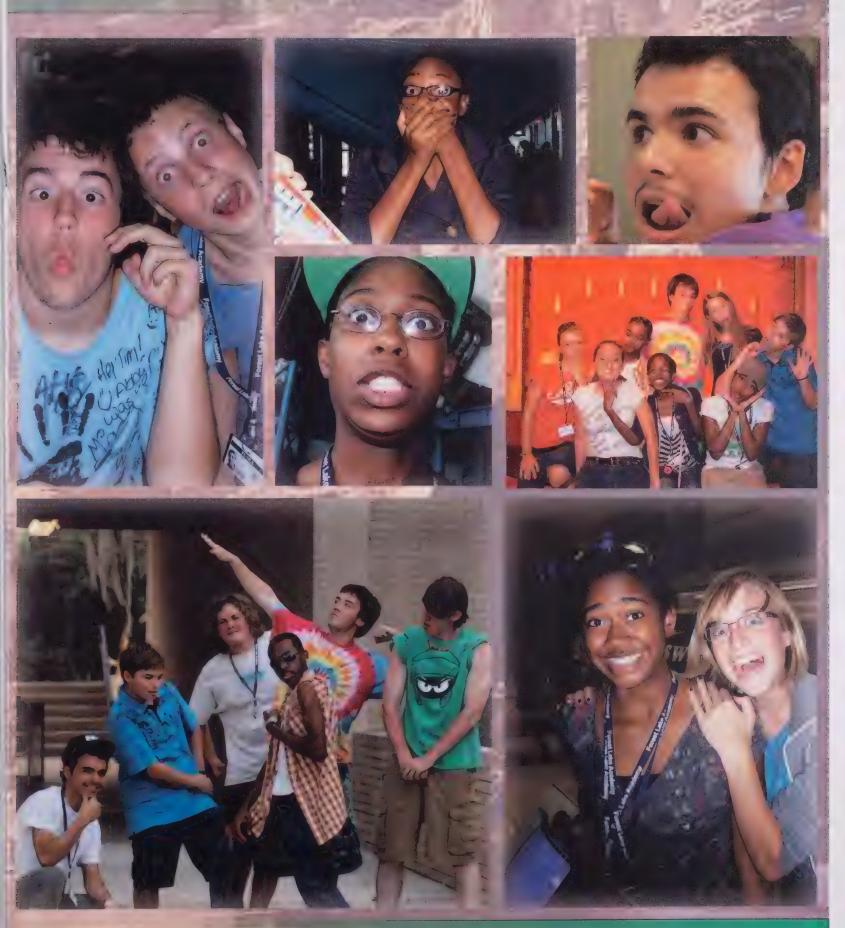




This had better not end up on your



Myspace page..." -Iron Man, 2008



FLDLA Group Wall

Share: Farewell 1 Quote Shoul Out 1 Congrats E Comment

Write something...

Angela Weidemann Dear Davion and Brittany, I am going to miss you two SOO MUCH during this summer!! I have enjoyed getting to know you two so much and having all those wonderful memories of you two. I'll mis you! -Angela or Miss Pickle:)

Davion Collins This was a wonderful school year for me, and I'm going to miss everyone. It's amazing how we are all seperated my many miles, but yet we can connect in a special way. And for my freshmen classmates: I had fun learning with you guys this school year, and I hope we can graduate together in the future!!! Haha....but I will miss you guys, and a BIG thank you to my teachers who taught us this school year....You all made learning such a fun experience, and I'm glad to have been your student....God Bless you guys as we go down our seperate paths in life:) And for Angela and Brittany: YOU GUYS ARE THE BEST!!!!"Elevator goes up!!!!"

Tiffani Thornton DLA gets better every year and this year was no exception. Thanks to everyone, I had a great time and survived my Junior year! I'm looking forward to building my friendships with everyone and I'm excited to see what God has in store for our futures.

Kirsty Rosendo FLA boys and girls your company has given me a warm feeling of acceptance and love. I miss you all and hope all y'all live a successful and love-filled life as your continue on your long life's journey. Love you all!

At first I was afraid I was petrified. Kept thinking I could never live through a year in DLA. But I spent many days and days to carry on. And I survived! I survived my Junior year thanks to all of you, teachers and students."

Reshma Pinnamenneni Haha have a good summer guys it was fun getting to know you people! :D -Resh

Alexandra Zimmer DLA! You guys are amazing! I loved spending my senior year with all of you! Good luck!Love all of you guys!-Alex

Gold Mar (Mamar) Borres I am thankful that i'm in private school which is in Distance Learning Academy and I made a lot of friends from FLA because they think I'm funny. This has been my awesomeness and gratefulness year. I hope everyone has enjoyed it."

Alice R. Fuller DLA has been a big part of my life. I just started this year but I feel like we're one big family. I'll never forget this year and the memories we've made. You all mean so much to me. I love you all so much!! Sparkleteehee!: P ~Alice R. Fuller~<3<3<

Nikisha Ryan I would like to say that i have really enjoyed meeting and getting to know each and everyone of you. You guys are the reason why DLA is awesome. I pray that God will continue to bless you in your future!

Jenine Henley Hey Guys! My experience this year has been an interesting one. It was very fun meeting you all. And I will miss you dearly. Love you guys, Jenine

Kaethe Reichert This year was probably the best year of my high school years so far. Even though I've only had two.. But I've gotten to know everyone so much better, and I actually feel like they are another family! I love them all so much.

I'm gonna give a shout out to ONE of my best friends, Stephanie Meinhardt!!! I feel like she is just like a sister to me! I love EVERYONE but there is just too many to count. I know God is leading you all so don't cry when we part. :) - Kaethe

Kayla Bynum All my DLA people! I miss you so much and I will always miss you! I was amazing getting to know, grow close, and love you all. You will always be in my memory and please keep in touch!! ~*~Kayla~*~

Oviri Duado I would like to say that I loved meeting everyone and that when I met many of you over fall trip I felt like I knew you guys before and we were just having a reunion. Thanks for the awesome year. Love you all. Oviri

Luke Humphrey My DLA friends have meant a lot to me during high school, especially in this type of program. My friends have gotten me through a lot, both conflicts and homework. My family has also gotten me through a lot of things, my mom has been my facilitator since freshman year, both my mom and dad have encouraged me to get Christian education and letting me know that is the best thing for me. My sister, she had been in the program before and taught me a lot about it and how to perform tasks. Thanks everyone!"

Davida Phillips Dear Friends, Thank you so much for making my senior year amazing! I'll never forget all the HILARIOUS memories with great friends like you! You are truly like family to me and this year has been so much fun!:) SENIORS!!!!!

Matthew Payne I will miss you guys!

Caleb Riston Wow! What a great year! Thanks Sophmore class for the never-ending fun on the trips and for the great school year!

Daniel Cameron McFall Dear DLA, you have been my family for three years. I love you all and you are my inspiration and reason I still have hope because I have seen the best. Ya'll are the best of the best and my family and I love you. Sincerely, Daniel Cameron McFall

Haley Norris I'm so glad for all the friends I've been able to make through DLA. I don't know what I would do without you guys. To the girls who saved my life on this last trip, Sara and Kaitlyn, you guys are AMAZING!! Love you!!!"~<<Haley>>

Kaitlyn Icard Thank you Alice and Kaethe for always making me laugh! Steph for being my partner when it comes to being clumsy! Timothy for always keeping life interesting! Jonathan for being there if I ever need anything! To everyone I missed, I love you all too!

Carrie Joiner I really enjoyed this year and have truly become great friends with most all of you! I am really going to miss you all so much! May God bless you in your future and always! Keep in touch [Facebook!] JUNIORS 2012! Miss you all, Carrie Joiner

Ecngratulations!

Your Mother would be proud of you.

We are very proud of you!

May all your dreams come true!

Love,

Pad, Earl, Rhea,

& Mick



Luke, we are so proud of the man you are becoming. May the Lord continue to lead in your life and with your "fishing!"

We love you, Mom, Dad & Rae

Congratulations to our graduate, Luke Daniel Humphrey. "And he saith unto them, Follow me, and I will make you fishers of men." Matthew 4:19 KJV



Dear Amber,

How fast you've grown. You are no longer the tiny baby in my arms, but a beautiful young Christian woman beside me. You have been such a blessing in my life and to so many others. Your compassionate



attitude and willingness to help and pray have blessed me immensely. I don't think I would have made it through nursing school without your notes or comments of encouragement like "I'll be praying for you. I love you, mom. Don't forget Jesus is with you." or your lovingly packed lunches you made for me because I was too tired. Those things have meant so much to me. I never dreamed I would have a daughter like you. We have been through so much



together and I will miss you terribly! However, I know God has a lot in store for you and I look forward to seeing you reach your goals, which are God's for you.

Love always, Mom

Becky-

"Nature's first green is gold,

Her hardest hue to hold.

Her early leaf's a flower;

But only so for an hour.

Then leaf subsides to leaf.

So Eden sank to grief.

So dawn goes down to day.

Nothing gold can stay."

-Robert Frost



Since Kindergarten, we have watched you march towards this day. You have grown into an incredible young lady and we want you to know how proud we are of your accomplishments. We are also blessed to have you as our daughter and a big sis. May God continue to lead you as you further your education and make a difference. Congratulations!!

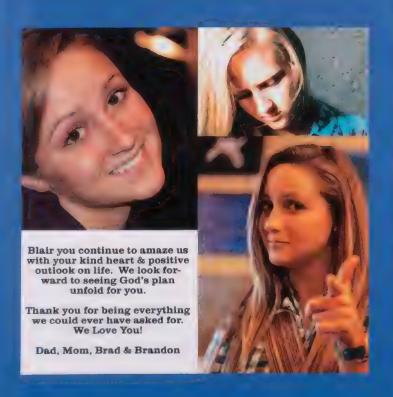
John

If there were ever a time to dare, to make a difference to embark on something worth doing it is now. Not for any grand cause, necessarily but for something that tugs at your heart something that is worth your aspiration something that is your dream. You owe it to yourself to make your days count. Have fun. Dig deep. Dream big. Know, though, that things worth doing seldom come easy, there will be times when you want to turn around pack it up and call it quits those times tell you that you are pushing yourself and that you are not afraid to learn by trying. Persist, because with an idea, determination and the right tools, you can do great things. Let your instincts, your intellect and let your heart guide you. Trust, believe in the incredible power of the human mind of doing something that makes a difference of working hard of laughing and hoping of lasting friends of all the things that will cross your path.

Next year the start of something new brings the hope of something great. Anything is possible, there is only one you and you will pass this way but once. "I hope your dreams take you... to the corners of your smiles, to the highest of your hopes, to the windows of your opportunities, and to the most special places your heart has ever known. We are very proud of you.

My son, if thine heart be wise, my heart shall rejoice, even mine. Yea, my reins shall rejoice, when thy lips speak right things. Proverbs 23:15, 16

We love you, Mom and Dad



Congratulations, Class of 2011!!!

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"I can do all things through Christ who strengthens





Congratulations! You are just starting a new journey and we believe that you will succeed because you always put God first in your life. Our love will always support you in all your endeavors for Him!

We love you so much!

Daddy. Mommy. Ate Eloiza & Kuya

"Now, bring me that horizon."
- Pirates of the Carribean:
Curse of the Black Pearl, 2003

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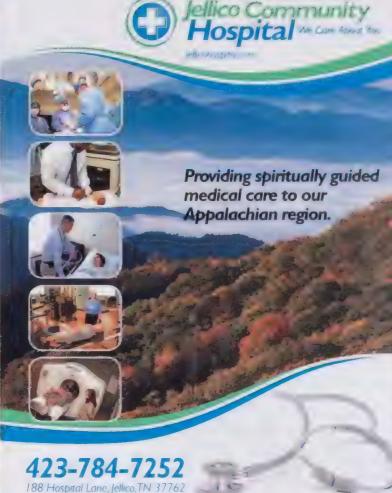
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